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In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

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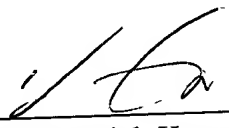
Further to Applicants' Duty of Disclosure pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants wish to bring to the Examiner's attention the material cited on the enclosed PTO-1449 form. Copies of all the cited documents are enclosed. Many of these documents are not prior art.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider these documents and return an initialed copy of the PTO-1449 form indicating her consideration of the cited materials.

Respectfully submitted,

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